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Home and School Association Meet

A well attended meeting of the Home and School Association was held last Friday evening in the school. Since it was the last meeting of the school year, the main business of the evening was the installation of the new slate of officers.

Rev. Mr. Morrison as chairman of the nomination committee reported all officers selected with the exception of president. Mrs. Yates who has been president for the past two years and who has devoted so much time and energy to the Home and School Association consented to serve for a third term, and was the unanimous choice of the meeting.

The new executive was then installed by Cpl. Yates as follows:
President—Mrs. Yates.
Vice-President—Mrs. Fiddes.
Secretary—Mrs. R. A. Wilson.

Membership Committee—Mrs. T. Brown.
Treasurer—Mrs. Bain and Mrs. Grant.
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A past president's job was presented by Mrs. Cunningham after which Mrs. Yates gave an interesting and instructive report on the convention which was held in the University of Edmonton. This was followed by an open discussion of school problems of immediate interest. The meeting then adjourned for a social evening.

Purposelul Exploration

Of interest to Gleichen people is a news despatch from Edmonton referring to H. H. Beach, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Beach, Gleichen.

Edmonton—Western Canada is a scene of one of the world's greatest exploration drives in history, a Calgary oilman told the opening session of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy's annual meeting.

H. H. Beach, assistant manager of the Texaco Exploration Co. reviewed the early surveys of the western lands and northward for a large section of the 1,000 delegates to the CIMM convention.

"It is doubtful if another area of comparable size on the face of the earth records a history of more purposeful and systematic exploration than western Canada," he said.

"The motives which prompted this exploration are complex. The prospect of the fur trade, the lure of gold in the Klondike, the political necessity of binding together a new nation; all are inseparably combined with a love of adventure."

"Without this spirit, perhaps the strongest motive, few men could have borne up under the privations and heartbreak of the wilderness."

Mr. Beach said that the history of western Canada "sparkles with exploits of courage and resourcefulness. It is not unreasonable to conclude that without the heritage of their ancestors, the many oil discoveries of recent years would have been long delayed."

B.V. High School Graduation

Last Thursday evening the students of the Bow Valley Central High School held their annual banquet and graduation ceremonies at the Cluny school.

Senior F. W. Gershaw of Medicine Hat addressed the students on the significance of the Crown in the British Commonwealth. The graduating class comprised of Adele Corbelle, Margaret Fraser, Roger Anderson, Douglas Fraser, Dick Haskayne, Jack Haggarty, Keith Hutton, Ann Koofted, Douglas McMillan, Frances McElroy, Russell Smith.

Over 250 students and guests sat down to the banquet which was co-sponsored by the Students' Union in cooperation with their parents. The midnight supper for the dance was provided by the Gleichen Home and School Association.

Bachelorettes were Mrs. Collier, Mrs. B. G. Galt, Mrs. L. Hartley, Mrs. L.

Inman and Mrs. Jenkins.

Valdettorian was Frances McPhee, while Mrs. Collier made presentations to the graduating students.

Miss Adele Corbelle was toastmaster with the following taking part: Rev. W. Morrison, S. Hayes, L. Maynard, Ronald Blaney, R. Bick, M. Hoff, W. Treacy, Jean McLean, Margaret Fraser, F. Nelson, Frances McPhee, Bob Haggarty.

If the broadcasting company is aiming at developing us into a cultured people, with a world-wide view of our own, and if it hopes to achieve this by selecting for us the cultural influences to which we must be exposed, and shielding us from all uncultured contacts, we think it is making a grave mistake. Real culture can no more be developed within us by shutting us off from the uncultured world, than real virtue can be achieved by shutting our eyes to all vice.

If a competent judge should visit it, Canada for the purpose of selecting the thousand most cultured people in it, we don't think he would look for them among those whose lives have been spent cultivating correct manners, familiarizing themselves with the best literature, the best art and the best music, and eschewing all contact with vulgar tastes. We think he would be more likely to find them among those who, in the tasks of real life, had seen good and bad, beautiful and ugly, and cruel and had come steadily chosen the better part until it became a second nature to them. He would make his selection from among those who, having free choice, had themselves chosen the fine things of life.

FROM THE FILES OF THE CALL

TWENTY YEARS AGO

A number of the members of the O. S. Gleichen lodge paid Aesop Chapter, Calgary a visit one evening last week. They were as follows: Mrs. J. MacArthur, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. D. McBean, Mrs. Black, Mrs. Beach, Mrs. Van Volkenburg, Mrs. G. McBean, Mrs. Gilbert, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. G. Evans.

Const. Batts has been in Calgary most of the time for the past week. He was among the police called there to assist in curbing the ardor of the unemployed, who went on the rampage.

All stores and business places will close every Wednesday afternoon from now on the year around.

The movement of unemployed families to farms has been considerably stimulated this year in Alberta.

The two small children of Mr. and Mrs. S. Dufay have been quite ill during the past week or so, getting a long nicely.

Dan McDonald, our genial blacksmith is the new councillor to succeed J. Moss, who recently resigned. Dan has lived in Gleichen for many years and with his intimate knowledge of the town should make good on the council.

D. Hutchison formerly manager of the Royal Bank here but now located at Three Hills, was a visitor to town yesterday.

Mrs. Jacob Bollinger has left for the Pacific Coast to visit some relatives.

Dr. E. G. Simmons, who practiced here for several years has been appointed medical health officer and pathologist of the city of Nelson.

Mr. Cardinal of the House of Commons has been transferred to Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bell and child of Dorcas, B. C. arrived here recently and have taken up residence at the Old Sun School. Mr. Bell will look after the school's farm.

Miss Helen Matthews of Vancouver is at present visiting friends in the district. Miss Matthews is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Matthews who for some years operated the Matthews Department store in Gleichen.

Miss Jean McConnell entertained a number of her friends at her home the other evening. The evening was spent playing cards. Among those present were: Misses L. Morton, F. Woods, J. Guttman, M. Evans, M. House, K. Beach, P. Yates, A. Evans, M. Desjardine, B. Taylor, V. Taylor, B. Haskett, W. Carreel, J. Parquharson, E. Unbrink, V. Hayes, M. Anglin, G. Anglin, B. Kelly, H. Kelly, I. Kelly, L. Bollinger, N. Downey, G. Gilbert, M. Young, A. Thorburn, L. Thorburn, P. MacCallum, H. McIntyre, M. McLean and L. Morrow.

HERE AND THERE

Allan Mathison, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Mathison, lost the fingers of his right hand in an accident Monday afternoon. He is employed in the Burns Co. meat packing plant in Calgary and suffered the injury when he caught his hand in a meat grinder.

Mrs. W. Hamar a former resident of Gleichen passed off rough town one day last week enroute home to J. C. after a visit to Ireland. While in Gleichen she presented Bob Haggarty with one of those clubs that is just the thing to knock a man on the head with.

The dominion government is setting up a flag pole at the post office. Several days ago men put in a cement foundation for the pole. Now Tom Hunt has to arise with the sun and sail the flag up and as the sun goes down take the flag down.

Those Who Are Graduating Into Life

(Continued)

What a youth does after graduation depends largely upon his ambition. He must study his character and decide what to give up in the interest of success because by this time he knows that nothing is to be gained except by giving up something else. It is not with the same sacrifice to spare a flock of sheep as to capture a rich city.

Those succeed best and probably assets, who form definite ideas of what they are going to do before they start to do it. A specific, concrete definition aims give the mind unity of action.

Then a strategy must be worked out. Every man must plan his own strategy, based upon his peculiar abilities. David couldn't fight Goliath with Saul's weapons, and a man who never learned how to prosper by the use of peace. In any event, who strategy makes an alliance with circumstances which in case of success follow up the pursuit, and in case of failure will screen the retreat.

Too often youth is inclined to adopt is-ought men without having high qualifications. It is well to avoid lip-lip until you are in an unusual position.

Next to the ill-repute of the immature "big-shot" is that of the "little-shot." It is usually a clock watcher, whose criteria of a job are the amount of time off, short hours and long vacation with pay. Little men are usually of this type. They are fatal every time a superior asks them for a report. They make their jobs appear difficult, and think they are civilians when in fact they are not.

That boyhood superman to many of us, Napoleon, remarked that no blunder in war or politics is so common as that which arises from mistaking the proper amount of exertion. We all know the silly hesitancy which does not know enough to come in out of the rain, but stays outside while it is raining and, when it stops, goes in side just as the ceiling is falling.

Having planned well and having got started, look for ideas. Almost any idea that jots one out of current snugness is better than none. Make your own program so long and so hard that the people who praise you for a good piece of work will always seem to you to be talking about something very trivial in comparison to what you are really trying to do.

This discussion should not be allowed to leave the impression that if the use certain strategy the graduate's life will be easy. The price of success is really stated: start where you are now, without waiting for a "good break"; throw wishing overboard and do something substantial and realistic about preparing for the next best post; find out what obstacles are in your way.

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Farm Management

MODERN FARMING is a complicated business and one which requires not only a knowledge of growing crops, but also of the intricate problems of farm management. The successful farmer today must understand complicated farm machinery, have a grasp of marketing and other economic conditions which affect agriculture and be able to deal with labour problems. During the last ten years scarcity of farm labour has been a cause of concern in most parts of Canada. Due at first to the shortage of manpower during the war and later to the demands for labour created by Canadian industrial expansion, the lack of farm help has been a necessary factor for the farmer to pay steadily increasing wages or to mechanize his farm.

More Machines Are Now Used

Farm mechanization has increased considerably in Canada in the last decade. This has necessitated large capital outlays and also decisions as to the amount of machinery required for the individual farmer's needs. Farmers today must also study production costs and decide which crops or what livestock bring him the best returns on his investment and labour. Scientific developments have benefited the farmer but have also placed on him added responsibility in applying scientific knowledge to his work.

Farm Problems Are Discussed

Agriculture is Canada's most important primary industry. It employs about 25 per cent of the gainfully occupied people and agricultural products are among the chief exports from Canada. The farm economists from the four western provinces met at the University of Alberta, Edmonton, to discuss economic problems affecting the farmer and discussions covered a wide variety of subjects related to the business of farm operation. It is noted that this has become increasingly important in recent years and that the successful farmer is now concerned not only with his land and livestock but with economic problems which require skill and foresight.

Ask Hay Fever Sufferers To Take Note Books With Them On Their Vacations

OTTAWA—The federal government travel bureau asked hay fever sufferers to pack note books with them on their vacations in Canada this year. The bureau wants the victims of pesky ragweed pollen to jot down every place where they get an attack of "sniffles" and mail the information to the department of agriculture.

The information is sought by the bureau in a constant effort to pinpoint vacation areas in Canada where hay fever sufferers can enjoy relief. The bureau has already issued a pamphlet giving general areas which are relatively free from ragweed. However, the bureau says its information on ragweed pollen distribution is by no means complete.

"There are gaps in our knowledge of ragweed and ragweed pollen distribution," the bureau said. "Anyone with observations to offer which may help to clarify, formation is asked to communicate with the Division of Botany and Plant Pathology, Department of Agriculture, Science Service, Ottawa."

"For example, a visitor to Canada during the ragweed season might care to advise on his reaction at the vacation areas he visits. This type of information would be of great assistance to prospective tourists who are also hay fever sufferers."

The bureau's pamphlet on ragweed distribution says there are many Canadian "havens" for the 2,000,000 hay fever victims in the United States and their 100,000 fellow sufferers in Canada.

The Rocky Mountain area of western Canada is one of the "safest" vacation spots for hay fever victims in this country. Ragweed are very plants in British Columbia, and their pollen adds little to the airborne total.

Ragweed pollen is virtually nonexistent at Banff and Lake Louise in Alberta. Nearly all sections of the province, with the possible exception of the southeast, are free of the noxious weed. The ragweed plant is rarely found in Saskatchewan, except in the extreme south areas, but is more common throughout Manitoba. However, the two big tourist attractions in Manitoba, Riding Mountain National Park, and the northern fishing resorts, are relatively free of the weed.

The pollen free area of Ontario has north of a line from Parry Sound to Pembroke. The holiday resorts in the Muskoka Lakes district and Algonquin Park are also free of the plant.

The area around Lake Nipissing is infested with the weed as well as the greater part of Southern Ontario, inflicting many of the 100,000 hay fever pollen in its highest incidence.

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From the middle of August to mid-September is the time of year when the Counties of Temiskamingue and Abitibi are sufficiently free of ragweed to offer relief to hay fever sufferers. The part of the province with the least ragweed is the central Gaspe Peninsula north of a line from Rimouski to Matapedia.

The bureau lacks precise information on the degree of pollution in the Laurentian Mountains. The rich low-lying areas of the Ottawa and St. Lawrence Rivers are heavily polluted and are not recommended for hay fever sufferers.

Most of the Maritime Provinces are free of the weed, except for some areas of the Annapolis Valley and a few other scattered districts. There is almost no ragweed in Newfoundland.

Ranchers Plan To Build Big Stockyard

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.—An announcement was made recently of plans to build one of the largest stockyards west of Chicago near here.

W. M. Mott, Liberal member of parliament for New Westminster, made the announcement on his return from Ottawa.

He said the project has been started by a group of Cariboo ranchers who are seeking land in the Surrey district across the Fraser river from here.

Construction will start as soon as the ranchers acquire the land from the department of Indian affairs. Mr. Mott did not give details of the cost or the acreage sought for the new stockyard, but he said it was "the largest west of Chicago."

Oil Output Up At Lloydminster

REGINA—Crude oil production in the Lloydminster oil field climbed to 166,664 barrels during May, an increase of 6,876 barrels over the previous month, the Lloydminster Petroleum Association reports.

May production is 34,277 barrels more than the same month of 1951, and the cumulative total for the first five months of this year, 956,926 barrels, represents an increase of 148,559 barrels over the corresponding period last year. There were 375 wells capable of production in the field during May compared to 365 in April and 271 in May, 1951.

Do You Know That...

Through muscular action, water-wolf can bring the filaments of your feathers together so tightly that water is unable to penetrate them. It is not the oil on the feathers that makes them waterproof.

DEFORMED ROBIN
STRATFORD—A young robin found near here has no eyes or ears. Beverly Schmidt plans to care for it until it can fly.

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TIME WELL SPENT—Fortunately repairing fences on the average farm is not the problem it is for this veteran British Columbia ranger who supervises some 100 miles of fence on the smallest farm he checks on fences in time well spent. Straying livestock—often with a head start—can waste a lot of time being rounded up much more than mending a wire or replacing a fence post.—National Film Board Photo.

Doctor Outlines Eight Rules To Combat Poliomyelitis

TORONTO—Dr. Crawford Anglin of Toronto says the relative seriousness of poliomyelitis has been overestimated.

Writing in Health Magazine, official publication of the Health League of Canada, Dr. Crawford says that severe paralysis results from the disease only when warning signs are disregarded. Fatigue, he notes, apparently increases the severity of the disease.

Since no specific method of poliomyelitis prevention is available he outlined eight common-sense rules to follow in combating the disease.

1. Minor illness or fever during the peak season should be treated by rest and isolation.
2. Excessive physical strain and unnecessary travel should be avoided.
3. Water which might be contaminated by sewage should be avoided.
4. Food should be suppressed and food should be protected from fly contamination. All fresh fruit should be washed.
5. All except urgent nose or throat operations and dental extractions should be postponed.
6. If a case develops in a summer camp, no children should not be admitted and those in the camp should be isolated.

Dr. Crawford is believed to be retained for 14 days after the last contact with the case.

Attendance of children at fairs, theatres and swimming pools should be discouraged.

In all events hysteria and panic should be avoided.

Sask. Uranium Field Open For Staking

REGINA, Sask.—Saskatchewan's Beaverhead uranium field will be the site of the greatest staking rush in the Province's history Aug. 14 when the field will be thrown open for public staking. J. H. Brockbank, Provincial Resources Minister, was fortifying his department for an expected 500 to 1,000 claims during the open staking period.

HOT ENOUGH TO TEES BAKE APPLIES ON TREES

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—You've heard of it being so hot you could fry eggs on the pavement.

Well, the New Haven county farm bureau announced that it was so hot recently that bark applies were found on trees in most orchards in this area.

SELECTED

Recipe

PARTY CHEESES

Savory but morsels guests will enjoy—cleverly inexpensive, too.

3 cups one-half after pastry flour or 2 1/2 cups one-sifted all-purpose flour

5 1/2 teaspoons Magic Baking Powder
4 teaspoon salt
1 cup chilled shortening
1 egg, well beaten
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
1 teaspoon prepared mustard
1 cup tomato ketchup
2 tablespoons shredded onion
1 cup (about) milk
here.

Grease cheese sheets.
Preheat oven to 400 deg. (hot).
Mix and sift once, then sift into a bowl, the flour, Magic Baking Powder and salt.

Cut in shortening finely. Combine well-beaten egg, Worcestershire sauce, prepared mustard, ketchup, onion and milk.

Make a well in the flour mixture and add liquids; mix lightly with a fork, adding milk if necessary, to make a soft dough.

Knead for 10 seconds on lightly-floured baking board. Roll out into a 14-inch square and cut dough into 2-inch squares.

Place a cube of cheese in the centre of each square of dough. Moisten edges of each square, draw corners together over cheese and edges.

Arrange well apart, on prepared cookie sheets.
Bake in preheated oven about 12 minutes.

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Squats Patiently By Roadside

Coyote Becoming Like Bear Awaiting Treats From Motorists

(By The Canadian Press)

Black bears, a grizzly bear on occasion, moose, red deer and elk are more or less taken for granted on visitors in Banff, Jasper and other Rocky Mountain centres. After all Canada is their native land and the creatures of the wilderness, theoretically at least, have a right to wonder at will.

But even Banff has been more than a little surprised recently to see a coyote squatting patiently by a roadside near town, and at the same old stand, awaiting motorists who produce chocolate bars, cookies, and other delicacies. This self-selected member of the clan of mendicant bears declines to let brain monopolize the business. He has won a lot of friends by his gentleness.

Suburban Toronto is currently seeing a mild invasion by raccoons. One of the ring-fisted fellows visited the writer's garden and golfed pool the other day. Deserted by their mother, four baby raccoons were found atop a cold stove in a gospel hall.

Residents of some parts of suburban Toronto and Hogg's Hollow, report raccoons as "common." Garbage cans in other suburbs have been raided by the animals.

Happiest of all the memories of the times is the observer of wild life, a magnificent golden eagle, flying low over a valley just beyond the city limits. Even in the Canadian Rockies where such a sight is not uncommon, the close-up view has rarely eluded observation to some extent.

But the Toronto visitor, flying west, was flying so low that the very hues of the sunlit, reflected on the eagle's plumage, could be seen plainly without binoculars.

There is a Canadian roosebush that grows so near to tree size that it may reach a height of 12 feet at its tip and at shoulder height it may be close to 15 feet wide. A conservative estimate would be that it bears 500 creamy-yellow roses of exquisite fragrance.

It is a hybrid-rugosa rose named Agnes. It is a creation of the Ontario Experimental Farm, and because of its extreme hardiness and pest-resistant qualities should be more widely known and more widely planted.

Road should this planting be confined to gardens, for it is admirably adapted for naturalizing at the fringe of farm woodlots or for roadside decoration as it has been so successfully used to adorn sections of the beautiful river road, bordering the Niagara River from Niagara-on-the-Lake to Port Erie.

Just how far this range could be extended across Canada has not been determined. The Ontario Experimental Farm received prompt and courteous attention.

Every true naturalist is interested in making the roadside scene in Canada more attractive. Hybrid-rugosa Agnes, with its glorious, if brief period of bloom and fragrance, is one of the better ways of achieving that aim.

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—By Chuck Thurston

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

THE WALL

The Fingers of Convict No. 61488 Were Hard and as Strong As Claws.

By C. K. PRIEST

IT WAS dark, so dark that the rain seemed to be pelted him with warm blobs of black ink. There was no light in this darkness, no beacon, no glow of distant village, only a single wavering speck of illusory brightness that appeared and disappeared in the far sky.

Lacking a better guide, Convict No. 61488 followed this vagrant gleam, stumbling, not knowing where his course led.

His escape had been easy, as prisoners escape go. The lessons received from Zingo, once known as "The Human Fly," who had been his cell-mate because of certain unfortunate charges, had been well taught. Hours of practice until his fingertips were hard and as strong as claws; tiny, almost invisible grigs fabricated furiously in the prison shop and cleverly sewn into the soles of his shoes; these, and his wretched cell-mate had brought him up and over the high granite wall. Now he had until morning calm before the alarm.

He piddled on, following the fragile gleam. He was no fool, to wander in circles in the purposeless wilderness around the prison. Nor would he take to the roads and inevitable discovery. Instead, with dawn he

would orient himself and head north, deep into the back country, until the hue and cry had worn down. A clever man could live well off this country, with its plentiful game, and the rain would cover his tracks.

Convict No. 61488 felt well pleased to have himself been brought through night. That was the way he had killed the girl who had done his crossed brow. Of course, he had been caught and sent to prison, but he was not as smart then as he was now. He would have to do something to make it right with Zingo, who had taught him the trick of climbing.

He kept his eyes on the light that was now his guide. It was hard to follow. Sometimes it disappeared entirely and at other times it seemed to bob up and down. The illusion, he reasoned, would be caused by the surging storm clouds. He managed to keep it directly ahead of him, although it seemed to grow dim as he struggled through the brush.

The rain was falling faster, and the night growing ever darker. It was that way.

Suddenly he stumbled into something, tripping himself. His fingers explored the cold surface. Another wall? He must have put over a mile when he himself and the prison were still there. This time it came to him that this must be the abandoned railway track that served the prison. He would have to cross it some time—it might as well be now.

He felt the stone that extended up above him into the night. Granite, huge blocks of granite, just like the prison walls. This country was full of granite.

He began to climb, carefully, but it was farther to the top than he had expected and the strain of pulling himself up by his fingertips began to tell. He had no idea the track ran so far above the level of the land.

He must have wandered into a low section. The ground had been nearly underfoot. Up and up he went, and a surge of wind swept through him when his questing fingers at last felt the sharp ledge that meant he had reached the top. He allowed himself to swing clear of the wall for a moment, hanging suspended in blackness before he made the final effort of throwing himself up and on to the tracks. That was the thrill of vertical climbing, Zingo had always said—to hang suspended in space while packed crowds below held their breath for the final spectacular swing. Zingo had climbed buildings with corners that protruded three feet. Sometime, Convict No. 61488 thought, he would practice climbing an overhang like that.

Slowly, as Zingo would have done, he began swinging his body like a pendulum from the pivotal grip of his fingertips, describing wider and wider arcs, until, with a supreme surge, he threw his body up and over. Convict No. 61488 allowed himself to sprawl out, as he reached the peak of his swing, thinking how nice it was going to be to drop down on the high track and rest.

But there was no roadbed, no track beneath him. He felt himself falling into space; at first with surprise and then with piercing pain as his fingers clawed for a grip where there was nothing to grasp, as the momentum of his body carried him completely over and past the top. He plunged, down and down, and he heard only faintly the thud of his body. For an instant he was conscious of a multitude of flashing lights and what seemed to be the pounding of running feet, and then all was a blackness greater than the night.

Some hours later, the chief guard made his report to the warden. "No. 61488 climbed out on one side of the prison and climbed back in on the other side. The only way we can figure it out is that he followed the light of a small plane that was circling for an emergency landing. He must have struggled through the brush for hours, making a half circle back to the opposite prison wall. When he climbed back in again, we don't know."

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Don't Copy U.S. Customs To Lure Tourists

TORONTO.—A United States tourist is likely to see more U.S. flags than he would at home and that isn't what the tourist really wants to see, Leo Dolan, director of the Canadian Travel Bureau, said.

The best thing Canadians can do to promote the tourist trade is to be themselves and to be honest, courteous and plainly nice to visitors, he told the Canadian Public Relations Society.

The tourist trade in Canada can never be a success until Canadians stop trying to copy U.S. customs, he said.

"Elizabeth II, by the Grace of God, Queen of this realm and of all her other realms and territories, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith."



Sask. Sport Fishing Praised By Magazine

REGINA.—Saskatchewan's sport fishing, already praised in a number of national Canadian and American publications, has received its biggest boost to date.

"Saskatchewan Adventure," an article in the May '23 issue of the Saturday Evening Post, describes angling for Arctic grayling, northern pike and lake trout in the province's north. The article is by Bill Wolf, well-known American outdoor writer.

Illustrated with colour photographs taken by Mike Keister, department of natural resources photographer, the article says that Arctic grayling found in northern Saskatchewan, are "described to be one of the world's best dry fly fishes."

In addition to his praise of northern Saskatchewan lakes, which he describes as being filled with a "superabundance" of fish, Wolf says that Cree Lake in northern Saskatchewan contains some of the finest and best bass he has seen anywhere. Cree Lake is about 100 miles north of Lac la Ronge.

The article describes in detail fishing for Arctic grayling in Cree, Carleton and Black Lakes, north of the Churchill River. Writing in general terms Wolf says that "the prime lure of the grayling comes from the fact that fishing in this forbidding rock-and-water land is one of the few remaining adventures left to an American angler."

Mr. Wolf adds that the "few Canadian and American anglers who are fishing northern Saskatchewan for the grayling are pioneers," but predicts that "soon there will be a rush."

But he cautions American sportsmen not to expect everything to run according to time-clock schedule, because he says, people of the north "never hurry."

"Saskatchewan Adventure" is the sixth article on the province written by Mr. Wolf to appear during the past three years in the Saturday Evening Post.

Edmonton's Population Reaches 183,411

EDMONTON.—Edmonton's population was announced as 183,411, an increase of 14,215 in the last year and greatest 12-month increase in at least 40 years.

In 1850 there was a boost of 11,392 in the population. In 1920 the populations of suburban Beverly and Jasper Place gives Greater Edmonton a population of 193,103.

Taking in residential developments at the Namas and Griesbach barracks, the northern outskirts, Greater Edmonton's population would be about 200,000.

Civic officials said the new population figure would give Edmonton a much larger provincial grant.

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THE TILLERS

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I HAVE BEEN DRIVING RECENTLY

ARE YOU SURE YOU CAN DRIVE RECENTLY

OH, YES, I CAN DRIVE RECENTLY

I ONLY DO UNIMPORTANT THINGS WHEN I WEATHER-SOL

I GUESS SHE DOESN'T IN BAD WEATHER!

Some Forest Facts of the Three Prairie Provinces

Forests occupy 60 per cent. of the land area of the 10 provinces and 38 per cent. of the land area of Canada, covering 1,289,750 square miles.

Of this area 744,323 square miles is classed as productive. Canada's forest industries employ half a million people, with an annual payroll of over one billion dollars.

The gross value of forest products exceeds three billion dollars annually.

ALBERTA

1. Forest area 138,000 square miles, of which 93,000 square miles is classed as productive.
2. Of the total forest area over 90 per cent. is owned by the Crown.
3. The principal tree species of commercial value are white spruce, black spruce, jack pine, balsam, fir, tamarack, white poplar, black poplar and white birch. Lodgepole pine and Douglas fir.
4. The principal products are lumber, pulpwood, ties and poles, boxwood, mining fuel, charcoal, fuelwood, fence posts.
5. Forest revenue for 1952 was \$3,322,368.31.
6. The total value of forest products produced in the year 1952 was \$17,319,000.00.

MANITOBA

1. Forest area 93,000 square miles, of which 30,500 square miles is classed as productive.
2. Of the total forest area, 90.8 per cent., or 84,500 square miles, is owned by the Crown.
3. The principal species of commercial value are white spruce, black spruce, jack pine, balsam, fir, white poplar, black poplar and white birch.
4. The principal products are lumber, pulpwood, railway ties, telephone poles, hydro poles, boxwood, mining posts, piling and fuelwood.
5. Forest revenue for 1952 was \$744,331.71.
6. The total value of forest products produced in the year 1952 was \$28,300,000.

SASKATCHEWAN

1. Forest area 150,000 square miles of which 50,000 square miles is classed as productive.
2. Of the total area over 80.2 per cent. is owned by the Crown.
3. The principal tree species of commercial value are white spruce, black spruce, jack pine, balsam, fir, white poplar, black poplar and white birch.
4. The principal products are lumber, pulpwood, ties, poles, fuelwood, mining posts, piling and fuelwood.
5. Forest revenue for 1951-52 was \$744,331.71.
6. Total value of forest products produced in the year 1951-52 was \$8,707,886.00.

Co-operation in the work of conservation is earnestly sought by the Canadian Forestry Association, a National Association of Foresters, maintained by public support, and devoted entirely to the essential task of securing public understanding and co-operation in the wise use and management of our renewable resources of soil, forest, waters and wildlife.

Forest fires are the greatest enemy of the forest, over 85 per cent. are caused by human carelessness. When using forest areas for pleasure or profit, please be careful with fire. Help your Forest Officer to keep our forests green and growing for the benefit of us all.

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Why Screens Need Paint

Window and door screens of steel, galvanized iron, copper or bronze always should be painted. Steel or iron mesh is painted to prevent rust. Copper mesh does not rust, but corrodes and develops stains; therefore, they need protective coatings.

Spar varnish or special screen enamels, available in all well-stocked paint stores, are used for this work. Either of these materials can be applied with a spray gun, brush or inexpensive screen applicator made from a block of wood covered with carpet on one side.

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NORTHERN RIVER

The Porcupine River of the Yukon Territory is about 150 miles in length.

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